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Yoshiaki Kato

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For: A MASS ANALYZING METHOD AND AN
ION TRAP TYPE MASS SPECTROMETER

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated December 29, 2004 (Paper No. 1215), finally rejecting claims 18-30, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.